House Resolution No. 3622

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to acknowledge milestone events in the lives and careers of Show-Me State residents whose significant contributions of time and energy help ensure that state government provides its much-needed services and programs in the efficient, effective manner mandated by the public; and

Whereas, Larry M. Burditt of Warsaw, Missouri, has attained considerable distinction as an Associate Circuit Judge with the Benton County Circuit Court, a vocational and leadership calling that he will draw to a close on July 31, 2008, in well-deserved retirement after fifteen years of service; and

Whereas, Judge Larry Burditt has brought to the Circuit Court bench a wealth of knowledge, skills, and experiences garnered from earlier employment in the Larry M. Burditt Law Office and as a Warsaw City Attorney, a Lincoln City Attorney, a Benton County Prosecuting Attorney, an Attorney and Board member for Hawthorn Bank, and an Attorney for Farmers Bank of Lincoln; and

Whereas, during his tenure with the Benton County Circuit Court, Judge Larry Burditt implemented the Benton County Drug Court and consolidated the Benton County Court System; and

Whereas, Larry Burditt has proven to be an invaluable citizen through his additional endeavors with the Lions Club and its Basketball Tournament, Habitat for Humanity, Little League, Pee-Wee Football, and United Methodist Church; and

Whereas, Larry Burditt is justifiably proud also to be known as the beloved husband of Linda Burditt and the loving father of Charles Adam Burditt and John Benjamin Burditt; and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives should pause in its diverse daily activities in order to recognize such outstanding Missouri citizens as Larry Burditt at momentous times in their lives:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the personal and professional accomplishments garnered thus far in life by Larry Burditt and to convey to him this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes as he partakes of the special opportunities and pleasures traditionally associated with the golden years of retirement; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to Larry M. Burditt of Warsaw, Missouri.

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 3622, adopted July 16, 2008.